DATE:

SUBJECT:

LOCATION: POLLUTANT:

SEVERITY:

OCCURRENCE DATE:

SEPTEMBER 30, 1985

POLREP #2, SHADY LANE RECREATIONAL AREA

ASBESTOS SITE CLEAN-UP

NASHUA, NEW HAMPHSIRE **ASBESTOS**

UNKNOWN

GROUND, AIR, WATER

POTENTIAL MAJOR

DUMPING

SDMS DocID

271313

CATEGORY:

ENVIRONMENTAL MEDIA AFFECTED:

SOURCE: REGION:

JOHNS-MANVILLE CORPORATION, NASHUA, NH

EPA REGION 1 (617) 223-7265

U. S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

OIL & HAZARDOUS MATERIALS EMERGENCY RESPONSE SECTION

LEXINGTON, MA

ON SCENE COORDINATOR PAUL R. GROULX,

FIELD OFFICE:

SHADY LANE

FIELD TELEPHONE NUMBERS (603) 888-0211 EPA

888-0214 OHM

888-0237 TAT

SITUATION:

CLEAN UP OPERATIONS STARTED ON MONDAY SEPTEMBER 23, 1985 at 7 A.M. O. H. MATERIALS COMPANY IS THE PRIME CONTRACTOR UNDER THE ERCS CONTRACT.

COMMUNITY RELATION PLANS STARTED WITH AN EPA PUBLIC PRESENTATION TO ADDRESS CONCERNS OF THE LOCAL RESIDENTS. THE MEETING WAS HELD ON SEPTEMBER 25, 1985 AT THE NEW SEARLES SCHOOL CAFETERIA. STATE REPRESENTATIVES AND CITY OF NASHUA LOCAL OFFICIAL WERE PRESENT INCLUDING THE HONORABLE MAYOR DONCHESS. OVER 90 RESIDENTS WERE IN ATTENDANCE. U.S ARMY CORPS ENGINEER, RICHARD MCGAW FROM THE COLD REGIONS RESEARCH LAB AND INTERAGENCY AGENCY FIELD REPRESENTATIVE AND ENGINEER ATTENDED THE MEETING TO ASSIST THE OSC IN THE SITE PLANS AND OPERATIONS FOR SITE STABILIZATION AS RECOMMENDED BY THE USACE.

WORK SCHEDULE

9/23-24/85 SITE MOBILZATION

9/25-30/1985 CLEARING AND GRUBBING OF BRUSH AND SMALL TREES

9/28-ongoing SITE STABILIZATION - GRAVEL OPERATION (12 inches of gravel)

9/25/85 PUBLIC INFORMATIONAL MEETING FOR LOCAL RESIDENTS

ACTION:

CONTRACTOR PERSONNEL ARE IN THE PROCESS OF CLEANING UP DEBRIE ON SITE, AND REMOVING TO THE LOCAL NASHUA LANDFILL. THIS INCLUDES CUT UP WOOD, OLD TIRES OIL TANKS AND ETC.

THE FIRST PHASE OF STABILIZING THE SITE IS NEARING COMPLETION BY THE FIRST LAYER OF BANK RUN GRAVEL TO TOTALLY ENCASPULATE THE SITE. FOLLOWING THIS A TOTAL OF 12 inches of BANK RUN GRAVEL, 6 inches OF SAND AND FINALLY 6 inches OF SANDY LOAM AND THE SEEDING FOR COVER. PROGRESS IS PROCEDING RAPIDLY AND PENDING WEATHER AND SOURCE OF MATERIALS, WORK SHOULD BE COMPLETED EARLY AND BELOW BUDGET.

TAT MEMBER JAY MARKARIAN IS ON SCENE ASSISTING OSC AS CLERK OF THE WORKS AND FIELD MONITOR.

ON 27 SEPTEMBER 1985 AT 12 NOON THE SITE WAS SHUT DOWN DUE TO THE WEATHER, HURRICANE GLORIA. SITE RESUMED ON MONDAY 9/30/85 @ 7:30 AM.

FUTURE:

CONTRACTOR TO CONTINUE COORDINATING BRINGING MATERIALS ON SITE ON A DELIVERED COST TO SITE.

OSC REQUESTED TO SPEAK AT NEARBY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ON THE ASBESTOS REMOVAL OPERATION.

FINANCIAL: (Total ceiling \$900,000)

	ceiling	obligated	balance
O.H. MATERIALS INC.	\$250,000	\$34,000	\$216,000
TAT (Roy F. Weston)	\$30,000	not available from	regional office
U.S. ARMY CORPS ENGINEERS	\$10,000	\$6,000	\$4,000
FEMA (relocation)	\$30,000	none	\$30,000
U.S. EPA	\$10,000	\$1,600	\$ 8,400

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Date: 9/30/85 Site: Shady Lane Nashua, N.H. National Response Center 400 Seventh Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20590 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Emergency Response Division, (WH-548-B) 401 M Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20460 EPA BOSTON - JFK Building X Mike Deland, Regional Administrator X Paul Keough, Acting Deputy Regional Administrator David Pickman, Office of Public Awareness Mel Holman, Director, Waste Management Division Phil Boxell, Office of Regional Counsel Steve Ells, Office of Intergovernmental Affairs EPA LEXINGTON X Edward Conley X Donald Berger X Paul Groulx (asbestos file) original X POLREP FILE OTHERS X Brook Dupee State of New Hampshire Department of Health & Welfare Division of Public Health Service Hazen Drive Concord, N.H. 03301 X Patrick Flynn, Contracting Officer U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Procurement Section H 401 M Street, SW (PM-214-F) Washington, D.C. 20460